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In a Shanghai contemporary last week an allusion was made, in an article dealing with the fall in silver and the-rise in prices, to the comparative cost of food-stuffs in Shanghai now and some years back. suggests itself to us that our readers may be interested to know to what extent the cost of food has risen in Hongkong during the past few years. For purposes of comparison we take the market-list published in the last week of June, 1893, and that dated last Thursday, and select from these diet. In comparing the two it must whe remembered that the catty is equal to one pound and a third avoirdupois. In 1893 the price of beef, sirloin and price cut, was 12 to 13 cents a catty; now it is 17 cents a pound. Mutton, chop or leg, was then 15 to 16 cents a catty; now is 24 cents a pound. Pork was then 14 to 16 cents a catty; now it is 18 cents a pound. Veal was in 1893 12 to 13 cents a catty; it now costs 16 cents a pound. The rise in the price of poultry even more striking. Chicken was oted in the 1893 market-list at 18 cents whereas the present price is 35 nound, and the best fowls have risen

a pound. Eggs have more than doubled in price. In 1893 they cost 9 to 10 cents a dozen, while now they are marked at 20 cents a dozen. Nor is any different tale to be told when we turn to fish. Taking only two typical examples, soles have risen from 13 cents a catty to 20 cents a pound, and lobsters from 12 cents a catty to 18 cents. a pound. Fruits are harder to compare, the list being fragmentary, but even there we find an increase in the price of mangoes from 6 or 8 cents to 12 cents and in that of pumeloes (Siamese) from 7 to 20 cents each. In vegetables we will take again some typical instances. Potatoes in 1893 were from 2 to 3 cents a entty, whereas now 3 cents a pound is charged. The best cabbages then were 8 to 9 cents each; now they are 16 cents each. Spinach was then 2 cents a catty; now it is 2 cents a pound. Indian corn has risen from 2 to 3 cents a piece. In the former market-lists the price of rice used to be quoted. The 1893 list which is now before us quotes rice, best quality, at \$4 a picul, and rice, common, at \$3.10 a picul. In the market-list of the present time rice does not appear, but from enquiries made at the time of writing we find the following to be the approximate prices now: -rice, best, \$7 a picul; good, \$6 a picul; common, 85 a

It is hardly necessary for us to add anything to this. The figures speak for themselves. It is, of course, possible to point out that the dollar in 1893 was worth 2s. 8d., whereas its value is now a shilling less. But even if it could be contended from this that its purchasing power in China has diminished by one-third-which as a matter of fact, it cannot, if we take a general view of trade and prices-still the fall would not be sufficient to explain a practical doubling of the prices of the staple articles of diet. It is, however, a notorious fact in connection with the cost of living in Hongkong that, while every panic and fall in silver causes a rise in prices of food and certain other necessaries, a recovery in silver is not allowed to produce a fall in such prices. It may be chained that this is an inevitable result of a fluctuating exchange, which causes the dealer to feel uncertain about his profits. Precisely so; let us then by all means strive to get a stable rate, in common now with nearly every country in the world. The upholders of the present state of monetary affairs should be called upon to suggest some other means, if they are able, of alleviating the ery genuine distress caused by the constant rise in the price of food. As far as we can recollect, none of the correspondents must forward their names and ad. champions of the status que have proposed any\_remedy. Yet they cannot be blind to the hardships now and for some years past suffered by those of small means.

> The German mail of the 27th May was delivered in London on the 27th June.

Maxim gun practice will be carried out on the south slope of Beacon Hill, Kowloon, on Monday next from 7 till 9 a.m.

Everybody who has oceasion to pass up or down Battery Path will be pleased to notice that the offensive latrine at the foot of the incline is rapidly being removed. It has been closed for some weeks and soon no trace of its site will be left.

26th ult., arrived in the harbour yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. As the Golioth was commissioned at Sheerness on the 27th March. 1900, she will soon weigh anchor for home.

By-permission of Major Radeliffe and officers, the band of the 33rd Burma Infantry will play the following programme at the Kowloon Hotel during dinner, this occaing (weather permit-

March ......... 'Second to None," ....... Ord Hume Overture ... "The Sapphire Necklace," ... Sullivan Selection ... "The Shop Girl," ... Ivan Caryll "The Everlasting Day," ..... Bevan "San Toy." ...... Sidney Jones Waltz...... "Glorro de Dijon,"...... Andrew

Dance...... "Hungarian," ...... Brahms

"God Save the King."

Mr. G. M. H. Playfair writes from Hankow to the N.-C. Daily News:-In the conflict on lists some of the most common articles of the subject of the proper orthography to be used when writing the name of the capital of China, special silver currency in each country or the advocates of the form "Pekin" have not a colony which shall be full legal tender for any leg to stand on. The "g" is not absent in the Cantonese or in any other dialect. I believe it to be beyond doubt that the spelling "Pekin' was simply an imitation of the French mode of writing the word, which continues to be " Pekin '

It is stated in local mandarin circles, says the N.-C. Daily News, that a memorial to the Throne, dated 15th of this mouth (June), sent by special courier by Governor Wang Chih-ch'un | the local silver currency being eventually conof Kwangsi reporting that he had "completely | vertible into gold in such quantity as may restored order in the province" upon arrival at Shanghai the other day, was met by a balances. A further e aboration is the estabtelegram from that Governor ordering the lighment or extension of a bank, or Governspecial confier's immediate return to Kwangsi ment, note circulation of small denominations,

be not more than 50,090 Coseks in Manchuria now, which is almost equivable to evacuation. Almost, but not quite.

It is assumed by a Southegram that the Corean Empeor is disgusted with the easygoing measures ken by Jipp in China and Corea and is inched to idend on Russia. According to this Cor following the footstep s

The North Chinese joint the Jih Jih reports that instead of rain age quantity of beaus and peas have fallon bin the sky, in Shausi covering the ground and deep. The paper states such a phenometry "frequently happens in Western country where the philosophers know how to accome for it."

The N.-C. Daily News of 12 27th ult. writes :- How much Russia regula the claim that the Yangtsze Valley is Gig Britain's sphere of influence is shown by if fact that the is now endeavouring to obtain the throne, through a Mr. Pollak, we is the Russian stalking-horse, a concession build railways from Hankow to Chengtu, theanital of Szechuen, and from Hankow to Lochow. These railways will, of course, have to Mally gnarded, and the result may be judged fon the present condition of Mancharia, and of hantung, which is completely Germanised threehout the line of the German railway. The Little Nette learns that the consent has been oblaid of T. E. Chang Chib-tung, Yuan Shi-ka, an Sheng Kung-pao, and of the Waiwapu, to the sproposed Russian railways, and the necessary imperial edict is now being sought.

\* The subject of the fall in the exchange alue of the dollar in Indo-China has been made the subject of a lengthy report by M. G de Laguionie, member of the Chamber of Cumerce of Paris. This report shows the onsequences of the fall to the colony, and conclues with the following recommendations which hye been approved by the Chamber as a bedy's That free coimage be suppressed in Indo-China that the dollar of commerce or of Indo-Chin already existing, be decreed the sole legal tende of Indo-China; that the Government, inspired by a system which has been tried in India under analogous circumstances, proceeds to the fixing (stabilisation) of the commercial dollar; that in taking the necessary measures the Government should take account of the views of industria and commercial residents of Indo China; that with the profit which will result from future new coinage a gold reserve should be created so as to propare ultimately for a gold standard.

The question of coolie immigration is begin ning to make for trouble in British Guinga and a popular memorial is being prepared presentation to the Imperial authorities asking for the stoppage of further immigration from India at the expense of the Colony. Twelly years ago there were 60,000 cooling in Br uniana; now there are 130,000, and one of the causes of the trouble is concerned with the religion of these people. Great trouble has been taken to convert them to Christianity; one result of which has been that large numbers, after being Christianised, have not only reverted to their own old faiths, but taken over a lot of the Guianese natives with them. The heavy expense of this farcical mission work has been borne by the State, but State aid is now being dropped, and the churches will have to be maintained by the voluntary contributions of the people. For this and other reasons toe Colony has apparently made up its mind to end the coolie invasion.

A home technical journal discusses the us of bicycles in China. The Chinamau has but little mechanical ingenuity, and so miching should not be delicate or require much in the way of repairs. Owing to the dress, ladies' bicycles are more in demand. Strongth, dur-H.M. battleship Galiath, Capt. F. H. Hen- ability, and cheapness, rather than lightness derson, C.M.G., which left Weihaiwei on the and comfort, should be the main features of bicycles designed for this market. What is needed for China is embodied in the following playoff. specification: -1. Chainless, dust-proof gearing If chain be preferable, protect against dust 2. Padals clearing the ground by at least 6 in. 3. Cushion frame, with componsating device to equalise pedal reach. 4. Solid or other nonpuncturable tyres. 5. Extra thick spokes, with strong threads. Steel rims are liable to rust and wood rims may warp from excessive moisture; either kind will answer, though copper is better. Luggage-carriers are essential to the traveller in China, for he must carry his blanket and a few extra articles of clothing.

Writing on the proposals for the currency o the Straits, and the action of Siam and th Philippines, the Manchester Guardian states :-The general idea in all cases is the ad ption of what is known as the "litaping" standard, a amount-that is, not limited as legal payment to, say, 40s., or any other sum, like the silver coinage of this country, but still limited to such aggregate volume as may appear by experience likely to remain in a stable exchange relation to gold. In other words, the Several schemes, variable in details, resolve themselves into further applications of the late Mr. Bertram Currie's Brussels pronouncement. " a gold standard with or without a gold currency." suffice for the mere settlement of international acks, formerly 1. and the memorial in question. Evidently the as a kingor man occurred a means of securing a prompt elasticity in the ents as pound; turkey cocks, songuine constitution to circulation which a limited coinage cannot

## The P. & T. Times says: here are said to TELEGRAMS.

REUTER'S SERVICE.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT IN SPAIN.

LONDON, 29th June. A train fell over a bridge into the Majerilla River, killing thirty and injuring fifty persons.

One hundred persons were killed in the Majerilla accident, seventy of whom are still beneathethe ruins. Harrowing scenes are

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY.

LONDON, 29th June.

Count Khuon Hedervary has formed Hungarian Cab net.

THE RUDGET.

LONDON, 29th June. The House of Lords has passed the Budget,

\* THE PLAGUE.

Eight cases of plague, all Chinese and five of them fatal, were reported during the 24 hours ended at noon yesterday. One of the cases came from Canton.

An instance of how the plague campaign is being carried on was brought under our noticeyesterday. At 10 am. an European lady passing the lane between Blue Buildings and the Asile de la Sainte Enfance noticed a femule child, about eight years old, who had evidently just been dumped, lying on the ground. Seeing that the child was alive, the lady hurried in search of a policeman. Haprening on a lukong the case was explained, and after some time the limb of the law grasped what was required of him—that he should procure an ambalance. He then sauntered off at the regulation pace, heedless of the appeals to hasten. Shortly after an European sanitary inspector, who chanced to be passing in a ricksha, arrived on the scene. After waiting twenty minutes and no signs of the ambulance-though the Sauitary Board hutshed where such things are stored is only fre minutes' walk from the Convent-the Inspector asked an Indian police sergeant to go for the vehicle. Instead of complying the Indian whistled to a lukong, and southim on the errand. All this time the poor child had been exposed to the sun, while crowls of Chinese gathered round, laughing as though witnessing an humorous spectacle. At 10.50, tifty minutes after the first lukong had set out, the ambulance arrived and the body was conveyed to hospital. What chance there might have been of saving the life of the child was in all likelihood lost owing to the scandalous delay of either the lukong or the Sanitary Board employees.

Although this case was taken in hand by the authorities before II a.m., it does not appear in the return of cases notified up to hoon.

#### HONGKONG WATER POLO ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the committee of the Hougkong Water Polo Shield Competition was held at the Victoria Recreation Club on Tuesday. The following representatives were present:--Messrs. R. Witchell (Y.M.C.A.), F. M. Roza Pereira (Lusitano Club), J. H. R. Hance (H.K.V.C.), H. A. Lammert (V.R.C.), Sergt Jewsbury (R.E.), Corpl. Laughran (R.G.A.) T. Meek, Hon. Treas, and A. E. S. Alves, Hon. Sec. It was decided that this year's competition be played under League rules with conditions as mentioned below :-

1. Two points for a win.

2. One point for a draw.

3. In event of a draw in points at final stage of the competition, the teams concerned will

4. All players must be bond-fide members for the form of 14 days of the club, body, corps or unif of the garrison competing for the Shield. All ties to be played at V.R.C. enclosure.

Non-appearance of any one team will count a win for the other unless a satisfactory explanation is sent in to the committee within two days from date of play.

The committee then arranged the following 3rd July - Lusitano Club and Royal

4th July-Sherwood Foresters and Royal Barrison Artillery.

6th July-Young Men's Christian Association and Hongkong Volunteer Corps. 20th July-Lusitane and R. A.

21st July-V. R. C. and R. E. 22nd July-V. R. C. and H. K. V. C. 23rd July-Y. M. C. A. and S. F.

The obsolete French ironelad La Triomphante with all her accessories is to be offered for sale by public auction at Saigon on the 24th inst., minimum price, 140,000 francs.

## WEATHER REPORT.

The Hongkong Observatory yesterday issued the following report: -The barometer has fallen rapidly over W Japan, riser slightly on the E. coast of China. The depression moved out to the Sea of the South of Shanghai yesterday afternoon, travelling ENE,, and this morning it is lying over

Pressure is relatively high over SE. Japan and the S. part of the China Eea. The wind will probably shift to NE. in the N. part of the Formosa Channel. Fresh SW. mensoon in the N. part of the

Forecast: -- SW. and variable winds, mode rate; squally, thunder-showers.

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

A MISLEADING WARNING TO HOUSE-OWNERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DILY PRESS."

Sir,-In your to-day's issue alletter signed by Mr. R Matthaey appeared under the heading of "A Warning to Home-owners." As I am the gentleman alluded the in that letter, will you allow me space in valuable paper to refute the said letter, which I consider to be very misleading to the houseowners and to the public in general. The case was heard in open Court before Mr. Justice Wise, and certainly the decision given by His Lordship was very conclus ve according to law and common sense, and Mr. Matthney oughttobe more sensible and resigned to the fate of his wild (who was the real owner) instead of coming for ward in the Press to make orroneous remarks re the judgment given by a most able and careful judge, whom we have long had in this Colony.

I have conducted negotiations with the owner re the house in question in a most reasonable and straightforward manner, and not having made a binding agreement, I was quite at liberty to withdraw any further negotiations owing to the owner's non-fulfilment of promise made to hand over the house thoroughly whitewashed and cleansed according Sanitary regulations, and also owing to her lime knowing the the land had been said and compelling me to defray half the cost for repairs and whitewashing on the protext that she had proceeded to review the facts of the case as been put to the expenses of starting a boarding house in Queen's Road Central. It-is utterly false that the house was in a tenuntable state when promised to me, otherwise I would not have applied to have it cleaned, and the case would not have appeared in Court at all.

Ever since I have been in this Colony, for about 30 years, I have had no trouble with my landlords, particularly my present one, who one of the most obliging and reasonable gentlemen I have over met with.

There is no need to warn the house-owners as Mr. Matthaey has protended to do, for they are sonsible enough to conduct their own business and they all know perfectly well how to do so in a businesslike and legal manner. In my. opinion the letter from Mr. Mutthaey is more intended to cust a slur on the judgment of Mr. Justice Wise than us a warning to houseowners. Thanking you for insortion of this letter.-Yours, ac.,

A. M. C. DA SILVA

## HONGKONG SANITARY BOARD.

A meeting of the Board will be held to-day, the 2nd July, at 4.15 p.m.

ORDERS OF THE DAY. 1. Plan showing proposed bath-houses for

men and women to be erected on a site adjoining Pound Lane, Taipingshan. 2. Report of the Select Committee appointed

for the consideration of Mr. Fellock's motion and the Acting Medical Officer of Health's reply thereto, together with a Chinese petition own. In the meeting the claim took a long relative to the same question.

sions of Section 30 of the Pullic Health and the landin 1892 at that the sale was a forgery. Buildings Ordinance, 1903, depute Inspector The grat thing r the jury to consider was-Frederick Fisher to institute summary proceed. Did thedefendanknow of that sale in 1-92? inga before a Magistrate against any person contravening any of the Bye-liws duly much under Section 16 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, when so directed in 4 to writing by the Acting M. dical Officer of Health. (b) That the Board, under the provisions of Section 256 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1933, depute Inspector Frederick Fisher to institute summary proceedings before a Magistrate for the recovery of any peralty imposed by Part II of the said Ordinance or any Bye-laws made thereunder, when so directed in

writing by the Acting Medical Officer of Health. 4. Mr. Pollock pursuant to notice will move :- (a) That a copy of the President's report on the Health and Sanitary Condition of the Colony of Hongkong for the year 1902 be sent to every member of the Saniary Board. (b) That a copy of the President's sport and of the Reports and Tables annexed tiereto, which are contained in Government Notification No. 393 of 1903, be sent to every member of the Sanitary Board. (c) That the memorandam of the Acting Medical Officer of Health upon the construction of certain proisions of the Public Health and Buildings Odinance, 1903, which was read at the recent meting of Property-owners, be handed to me Press for nublication.

.G. A. WOODCOCK. fecretary. AGENDA.

1. Correspondence relative to the percentage of dead plague bodies found duaped. 2. Minute by the Acting Medical Officer of Health recommending that the attention of people living in MacDonnell toad be drawn to priect committing any offence against the danger of allowing smll collections water to remain in flower-sarcers, &c., in their

West to be registered as a 3ake-house. 5. Application for the enewal of the Bake-he case contrary to article 48.

house licence for No. 228, Queen's Road West. 6. Application for No. 6', Queen's Road West to the registered as a Bale-house.

June, 1903. 8. Lime-washing retirn for the fortnight on the 4th inst. ended 23rd June, 1903.

9. Application for the registration of No. Hollywood Road as a Take-house.

10. Application for the registration of 199, Queen's Road East as a Public Launder. SUPREME COUR and the second section is a second Wednesday, 1st July.

In CRIMINAL JURISDICTIO

BEFORE HIS HONOUR SIR WILLIAM GOODMAN (CHIEF JUSTIE).

ALLAGED SUBDENATION OF A VITA The case was again called in wich L was charged with suborning a witess to perjury in connection with a de heard the Land Court on or about ith No

The Hon. Sir H. S. Bereley, Acti General (instructed by Mr. B. L. B. Crown Solietor), prosecute, and Mr. E. Sharp, K.C. (nstructed by ir. P. W. Goldring solicitor, of Mosers, Dicon & Hestings

The following was the jury : - Messrs. F. E. Shuster (formun), A Mooll, W. C. D. Turner, W. H. Puroll, A. Bertie, C. König, and G.

Counsel having corpleted their addresses to the jury on the prepous day, His Lordhip supmed up. The prisoner, he

haid, was clarged with having got a man named Las to state in widnes before the Land Coart, with a viewto the prversion of law and justice, battertainfund and not been sold that had been and the the sale was a forgery, he at the that the sae was tot a firgery. His Tordship family of Laus appeared to have sold piece o' land the possessed in the New Territory for about 60 tools. Since being then our by Guat Britain, the land dere half energoisty/incressed in value and whatwas not worth much ten years ago as worth very great foul now. A considerble number of persons peculated in land, hopby fora ratiu value, and in some cases owners right have been, incod to part with their and it mis inadegite prices. However, if he owner has willig to sell it, a person and a right to by it. As time went on and the Britis New Territory became chancel in valle this family doubtless hough what foliathey had been to part with their land fe so small an amount. n 185 one of he mily while looking over somedeedsfoundanted deed referring to this property that hid ber sold. What she ought. to have one with it as to have taken it to the recent archaers an hunded it ever to them. Brt Claese-Re, thewoman having got hold of thi old ded been to think how she could cerive some beneft from it. So on 19th Sanuty, 161, theyfound the Laus coming befor the find Cost and making a claim for this ery land they fore said to have sold in 189: On the samiday that they made this clan, and n the sength of the expectation

the they would wint, they sold the property a scondismo through the defendant for \$1,000. whichit was sai \$2,000 was actually paid o conside; and it as when it came before the 3. The President pursuant to notice will hand Cart in byember, 1902, that the move: - (a) That the Board, under the provi- evidencewas giventhat the Lius had not sold

> The juty ratid to consider their verdict and when they Luraed into Court, the Foreman shied that my had come to as decision by

His Lordshipold them that they must find. a veract by a spority of not less than 5 to 2. They nust retiragein and try to come to such a vertice; if it, the case would have to be tried wer uguit

After an abace of some minutes, the jury found the prisor not guilty by 5 to 2. The prisoneras dischargeds The Court dourned.

THE ASE OF P. A. SOUZA.

A Shanginative paper publishes a despatch fron the Ptuguese Consul-General to the Shaghai Etai re the murder of a Chinese by a Potuguespabject, the gist of which is that he (the Consulfeneral) has dealt with the case in conformity ith the laws of Portugal and the nirderer inow being tried and punished by the preparativities. The crime took place on May 22d and ince then the Consul has repeatedly re-nestedhe Magistrate to have a post-mortem caminaon held on the body, but the Magistra fensed. The Consul then proceeded at ono. the thistatements of the fifteen foreign an Cinese witnesses and that of the prise hest tements have since been sent to h ghe with the evidence of four witness In and sent to the Consul by the city L Such a serious crime though commit Shanghai, had never been tried by of the Huguese Consular Court. Article the Treaty states that when a Portuguese

of Chinese, the offender is to be tried by no law of Portugal and the Consula Portugal in China were instructed by heir Government on the 8th March, 1903, 3 Letter from Messre, Palmer & Turner to take down all evid-nce of a case in which a relative to the urinil at the Hongkong ClubPertuguese subject was the offender and to send the records of the case and the offender to Micao to be dealt with by the authorities in 4. Application for No. 347, Queen's Road test colony; therefore the Taotai should see hat the Consul-General has not dealt with

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS

The C.P.R. steamer Empress of Japan ar 7. Rat return for the fortnight ended 29th at Kobe at 4 p.m. on the 30th ult., and left at 1.30 a.m. on the 1st inst., via Nagasaka Shanghai, where she is due to arrive at 1

The Indo-China steamer Kumsang lef cutta for this port, via the Straits, on the alt.. and may be expected here on the 14th The T.K.K. steamer Robitla Maru left on the afternoon of the 30th ult., and is exa there to-day, at 2 p.m.

Wednesday, lat July. BEFORM MR. J. H. KENP (ACTING POLIC MAGISTRATE).

ALLEGED BRIBERY. R. G. McEwen, inspector of markets, charged on remand "for that he on the 24th do." of December, 1902, at Victoria, in this Colony. then being a public servant, accepted the sun of \$120 from one Chan Wong, and the sum of S100 from Ip Chang. Wo Kam, and Lam Hing Shang, with a view to influence his conduct as such public servent, contrary to Section 3 o Ordinance 3 of 1898," The defendant was represented by Mr. M. W. Slade, barristor-at

Mr. F. B. L. Boyley Crown Solicitor, who prosecuted, asked leave to sibstitute for the two charges mentioned above five which included those two charges, and which accused the defendant of accepting at divers dates bribes amounting in all to \$27%

His Worship necepted to substitution, and road over the charges to the defendant, wh pleaded not guilty to all dilum.

Mr. Bowley then proceded to state the case for the presention. He said the defendant wasformerly in the Hooghng Police, and left the force in order to take carge of the Naval Yard Police. That positie he relinquished in 1901 & join the Sanitary Deartment and on 1st May, 1102, he took up the uties of inspector of murkets As such he proceedly had control of all the mirkets in the Color, and his duties were to onforcent Orlinances, he-liws, and regulations relating to the market. He was under the supervision of the Colonist /etodnary Surgeon, with whose permision beinstituted presecutions for breaches of the by-laws. In the markets each particular rade hd its guild, and the guild the Court was t presnt concerned with was the poultry guildin to Western Market and the poultry guildin to Contral Market. All the poultry shops leloged to that guild, and when any particularity god into trouble the practice was to call a veting of the guild to consider the matter. she Western Market the affairs of the guild wemanaged in turn by the different shops, each op taking up the duties for one month of; in the Central Market two shops tookp the duties and managed affairs for one ye. The stop having the management of the gul had the custody of all the moneys and bookine roperty of the suild, and made all necessiv asbusements. Two months and a half afterde difendent took up his duties as inspector of workes, bethroat oned a poultry shop named the a lightly proseoution for blocking the thoughar with crates. The Sun Fu reported the maste tithe guild, and the guild held a meeing Atthatitime the Sun Fu shop was keeping to counts of the guild, and the meeting we hel if the thop of the Sun Fu. The guidean a certain conclusions in the matter, and a result of the meeting Fung Yun, a salesma in he Bun Fu shop, on 15th April, 1902, chaind from the accountant of the guilt tendolles if banknotes, which he gave to the dendint in his quarters at Nos. Land A Chier Street, Kennedytown. No presentio for locking the thoroughfare was taken after the. In the eighth mouth of the Chaesereur, oughly, in September, 1902, the Long lik piltry shop was keeping the guild finds. Thdefendant had been giving them a couldoublemount o trouble in various ways, and a neeting of the guild was called, as the reultof web 317 of the guild money was handeaby the countant Chater Street. At Christmas timit was a well-known custom, continuel in Bylev, for the Chinese to make presents to luropenul customers and friends. The gilld called meeting to discuss the presents tobe even, and and as a result of that neeting Cha Wone master of the Yuen Hopshop, and i Km. master of another poultry stop in he Vesten Market, were deputed to go ind see tre defendant. Chan Wong received \$20 and and this hey tok to the defendant at his quarters, along wit some and fruit and other anomary presents. These were the cases in which the poultry guild in the Western Inrket was concerned, continued the Crown Meitor: the remaining charges concerned thoultry guild in the Central Market. Evidentewould be called to show that at Christmas a Bultation of that guild was also hold as to the seemts to be given to the inspector of mirkets,

Mr. Slade interrupted to say that is sould object to any evidence as to what tool ace at any consultation in the Western Market the Central Market.

Mr. Bowley, resuming, said he would rove that the guild held a meeting, and as esult Ip Chang, one of the partners in the Yea Fat Loong shop, approached the defendatand asked him what kind of present he woulike. for Christmas. The defendant said-" I not necessary to buy anything; give me the nev and I will buy a present for myself. Aher guild meeting was held, and as the resulthat meeting three Chinamen obtained from theild a banknote for \$100, four boxes of cigars, an one other small things, and went together in ribas to the defendant's house on the afternount Christmas Day, When they arrived there, Europeans, who told them that the deferat was on the roof. Presently the defendant no the three Chimmon to stop where they wern the three Europeans went to another part ola house; the defendant came back alone and sie to the three men, who handed him the money a cigars. These were the five charges in the c days' hard labour his Worship said that which Mr. Bowley said he should endeavou. of this year poultry in the Westermand Cent | be fined \$25,

Makets were found to be infected with plague and a consequence a thorough cleaning of the majots was made. The poultry stals at the Waern Market were removed to he Praya while the pens were being cleaned out, but the porry stalls in the Central Market were not dea with in such a summary way! The old per and crates were burnt up, by offer of the Sanary Board, and that order defendant had to so executed. As the result of thee operatios the poultry dealers went in a boy to the Restrar-General's office and made representatior as to what had happened; fellowing that visl Mr. Clementi, the Assistant Jegistrar-Geral, laid the information in the ore.

Mam Gibson, Colonial Veterinary Surgeon, wasthe first witness called. He said be entire conrol of the markets of the Colony as in his hars, and that the defendant operated ador him. The latter's salary was \$1,140 per namm, plus example compensation, his allowaded or house res \$360 per aunum, convoyance albume \$360 preents by Government servants.

brech of Government regulations A Ir. Bowley replied in the negation Ir. Slade then intimated his objection to the question, and his Worship noted the act.

(ross-examined by Mr. Slade, whese said the market bye-laws rigorously. Witness communicate on the subject.

shop. Western Market, described a vie he said he made on 14th July, 1902, to the defendant's house. The defendant had treatened to prosecute the Sun Fu sip for obstruction, and it was following the threat that the visit was paid. Witness the with him \$10 of the poultry guild's mony; and gave it to the defendant. No one is was No prosecution for oltraction

The hearing was adjourned at dispoint untit this afternoon at 2.15, when & Slade will cross-examine. The defendant was liberated on bail as

A CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTIFY On the 23rd ult. one Louis C. Egant master mariner, was fined \$5 or in default a days' mara tubour for being drank and incubble in the public street. He had no money thay the fine, and so went to prison. There, to dintents in better health than when he started in on the ur poses, the matter ended, but the phtrary has proved to be the case. The Rev. Tillight. aln of S. Peter's Church, West Part, and the Samen's Institute, Kowloon, whompkes a point of visiting erring mariners in rison, duly received notification of the incommittee of Louis C. Egan. The name was failiar to him, but the Louis C. Euan he knew id been la ter bore an unenviable reputational Police Court, and had been several times imprisoned for being drunk and dinderly. of the guild to the defendan inhis carters at Finally, as the only way out of it, he Rev. peanut diet plays better bal this year than he T. Wright kept him for a few days ild then nut him on board the Empress, al satet. Knowing that the man was safely at loa for the had seen him off on the steamer, the rvetend gentleman thought it strange traight should again be in trouble with the authorities, the prison, saw the man, and learnt that though bearing the same name and following he eme profession, the dejected individual before im wis a totally defferent person from the Luis C. Egan who had been such a familiar figure in the Police Court; further, the prisoner to far from being the bad character with irregularities the magistrate felt bound to chel by in exemplary sentence, had never beening prisin before, and was in short bearing the cosequences of the misdee s of unother mai altogether. The Rev. T. Wright brought the case to the notice of the authorities, with the that it was re-heard yesterdsy and the

original commitment. THE REWARD OF POMPOSITY the gubernatorial uniform have an exalted idea | alermen or a State Legislature. To be concernof ther own importance. The other day a edu such a graft is no dishonour for an alderman party of chair-bearers was awaiting the arrival inhe eyes of his fellows or of those who would boatwocan returning from a shopping expedi- Ne York alderman, a "mutt" is an insult. tion came along with a basket containing fish, "thatt" is race-track slang. A "mutt" is fruit, aid something in a big black bottle. She something worse than the cheapest "s-llingto where the dignified beings from Government | rap, a "dopey skate." which is used to empty House were standing, and went to call her the okets of the "come-ons." It is a serious relatives on the family sampan. While her | thin for one gentleman to call another gentlebearers approached the basket and picked up to co him a "mutt.", But when one gentlethe bettle. He held it up to the light and eyed | manualls another a "pie-faced mutt" ("pieits contents with an approval which found faced should need no explanation) he goes, as expression in an expansive smile. Then we sait over here, "do full limit." he delicerat ly extracted applied the neck of the bottle to his mouth, took a long breath, and swallowed half the contents in our mighty gulp. The bottle, however, the heeless carriage or the boneless sardine. contained kerosene oil, not "samshu," and the The Wention is said to be satisfactorily at thirsty one dropped the bottle and expectorated work a dozen cities of 25,000 and over, and with a conjousue's only equalled by the fluency it is no being tried on a large scale in Chicago did not see the defendant; they saw two or of the language he afterwards gave utterance By mens of an automatic switch-board the to. The old woman returned, took in the telepho girls at the central stations are situation at a glance, and proceeded to scold absoluty done away with. When a number the spluttering thing in uniform. He stared is wand you simply turn a small dial to the down with another European, and signally in amazement at the person who dared to numeral which make up the required number thus address him, and then, seizing her by in their necetive order. Then you press a the verandah. In a short time the defendantd | the shoulders, shook her violently. An Indian | button, Jich rings the call-bell on the other constable interposed, and an adjournment was | telephoniand the connection is complete. The made to the Central Police Station, where the coolie was charged with disorderly conduct.

senteice reduced to a fine of \$2 or seven days.

hard labour, to date from the time of the

ANGLO-FRENCH, ENTERPRISE IN KWEICHAU.

On the 25th May the fourth ordinary general meeting of the Angle-French Quicksilver and Mining Concession (Kweichau Province) of China, Limited, was held at Winchester but this was not the case. There were men outcome of the negotiations at Peking. If perannum, and his allowance for knowledge of who had worked in the mines for years, and they are injurious to the interests or rights Cinese \$60 per annum. In reply to Mr. it was very difficult for the company to get of Japan, the Ministry will ubt shrink from Byley, he said there was a regultion in them out. In some cases they had been the necessary measures. The gravity of the Department prohibiting the accidence of bought out, and the company had shown situation is fully recognised in official circles, them what could be done by means of but it is believed that rumour exaggerates the Ir. Slade asked if there was an darge of scientific mining. A furnace had been weakness of the Chinese Government running for 12 months, and it was hoped that another would be at work in a short time. As to general progress, the company has take strong diplomatic action against Russia done exceedingly well in establishing themselves Mr. Uchida, the Japanese Minister, informed at Wen Shan Chiang. The officials, as well as | the Board of Foreign Affairs (Waiwupn) of the he had always found the deligant on the workers, had confidence in them, and they above decision yesterday, expecting that the gurgetic, conscientious officer, who inferred had their own note issue, which every one took at its face value. By this issue the company hel noticed no omissions on the andant's saved considerable expense. A large quantity pat to enforce presecutions for breaker of the of ore which the Chinese would never have by laws. On one or two occasions of defen- obtained had been got from the company dat complained to him of trouble he shaving mines. The directors had to admit that they with Chinese in the markets, who wer affering had not obtained pessession of the main him money. Two or three days fore the portion of the mines. Seeing the hopelessness present charges were made he repted that of getting some of the men in possession cedain dealers in the Western Meket had of the present workings to sell out, Mr. de offered him \$150 through his house-by Wit- Martonu, one of the company s local advisors, nes did not know whether the policeasitaken was asked to go to Peking on the comany action in regard to that matter; herefarded | pany's behulf. He obtained the consent of the a minute relating to it to the Secrety of the | Waiwupu to his most important requests, and | Sanitary Board, the source of his office com- the matter had now to come before the Governor manications, and received in reply iminute of the province. M. Paul Dubois seconded asking if he had any further information to the motion. In apply to questions and to severed his connection with the society.—N.-C. complaints by two shareholders that the pro. | D. N. Fung Yun, salesman in the Sun Fipoultry spectus did not fairly represent the position at the commencement the chairman said he feared that at the start the board did not know so much about a Chinese edict as they did now. He thought that the shareholders had better let the company's work be carried on for a short time as at present in order to see what could be done. The directors held a large number of

A PEANUT DIET.

The following story comes from Northfield,

cumulative preference shares. The motion was

adopted.

Vermont:-Four students of Porwich University, three of whom are working their way through college, have in the last three bonths saved \$30 each by living on pannuts. Every one of the quartet is strange diet, and all will sontinue to be " peanutpeanut idea originated with J. C. Coulombe. circulation being interfered with.-N.C. D. N. All four students are members of the class of 1905, and are taking be civil engineering course. Moore is one of the best basket-ball shipped out of the Colony on bird the players in Northern Vernont, Ross excels at Empless of India several days before This tennis, and Perkings is at letic. He is the only one who is find cially independent. Coulombe plays first base on the Varity nine and on the did last. He discovered the value of the peanut as food, and told the other three men. In the last twelve weeks the men have increased in weight on the average of fifteen pounds. They have smaller waisted breader shoulders, and larger expansion of clasts. Their biceps and he ditermined to investigate. He alld at have also developed and they have hardened all over. They all declare they can go on eating peanuts indefinitely.

A STUDY IN LANGUAGE.

A New York correspondent writes to the London Daily Chronicle:-1 see that you are treatly agitated over the meaning of "a pieaced mutt," au epithet high in favour with Jew York aldermen in their more strongous ioments. This refers to a recent discussion the columns of the Chronicle about this apression.] The explanation given in your isue of the 6th, that it is a corruption of a "ig mit" is quite wrong. A "big mit," as yur correspondent says, is a big boodle game, praft, whether from "shaking down" Eastsie pushcart men (your costers) by the police It is well-known fact that coolies wearing or holding no" a corporation by a board of His Excellency at Blake Pier. An old likto be his fellows. But to call a man, even a the basket down at a spot near plat." He is the cheapest kind of an "also-

If Harper's Weekly may be trusted, the girlig telephone will soon be as familiar as whole opation is automatic and almost instantaneous to one can break in and interrupt or He was convicted, and in fining him \$5 or 14 | overhear conversation; and a person speaking cannot bout off before he has finished. Within although the defendant was a Government the next we or three months 10,000 of these to all classes concerned. The position of House coolie he could not do as he liked. If new telepones will be working in Chicago, prove. It was well known that in the sum; he came up again on a similar charge he would and the notenity of the Windy City, it is expected, ill then be a thing of the past.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

[NEWS VIA SHANGHAL.] JAPAN AND RUSSIA.

Tokyo, 25th June. Public impatience is growing daily in Japan House. Mr. C. J. Buckland presided, and with reference to the Manchurian question. moved the doption of the report. He observed | The soberest journals are advocating resolute that the board had bad very great disappoint. steps to terminate the harassing suspense which ments with the working of the concession | checks all peaceful development. They declare They had not yet got possession of all the that the nation will be an unit to support the mines they expected when they went to open [ Ministry in strong measures, the sole responup the Kweichau province. The negotiations sibility for which will rest with Russia. A were now suspended awaiting the arresal of the council of all the leading statesmen has been company's representative from Peking. In view hold at the Pance with the result, it is of the fact that the company had an edict from | rumoured, that the Government will address the Emperer of China, prepared on the advice a protest direct to St. Petersburg; but the of his Great Council, it might reasonably have best information denies that any such resolve been anticipated that they would have been has yet been taken, and attributes to the able to do everything they had desired to do; Government the intention of awaiting the

> Peking, 26th June. The Japanese Government has decided to Chinese Government will revert to its former line of action and again place its dependence on

London, 25th June. The Berlin newspapers give prominence to the reports in the Russian Press of the move-East, estensibly for the purpose of testing the transport facilities afforded by the trans-Siberian Railway .- N. C. Daily News,

RELIGIOUS PERSECUTION IN FRANCE. London, 25th June. After a very stormy discussion, the French Chamber has passed the Bill prohibiting any member of a dissolved religious society from teaching, unless he can prove that he has entirely

London, 26th June. In a proclamation to the people of Servia, King Peter Karageorgevitch says that he consigns the past to the past, leaving history to judge

the deeds of each.—N.-C. D. N. INTERNATIONAL COURTESIES.

London, 26th June. The German Emperor has telegraphed to President Roosevelt, assuring him that the American squadron will receive a warm welcome-Henry in the United States in 1902.-N.-C.

JAPANESE BANK NOTES IN CORPA. Tokyo, 25th June.

the Corean Government that unless it takes policy. M. Ebray remarks that the Freuch ters" until the end of the school year. The responsible for the loss resulting from their policy towards the Holy See. It would,

CHINESE LABOUR.

The San Francisco Chr nicle gives its views thus with regard to the opposition to the introduction of Chinese labour into South Africa:-

While the British Government is said to have

decided some time ago in favour of the principle

of introducing Chinese coolies into South Africa

as a solution of the mine-labour problem in the Transvaul, final action is deferred in the matter until the commissioners now studying the effect of the employment of this degraded class of labour in the United States and elsewhere have made a report. Meantime, the big mining corporations in the Rand district are urging the adoption of definite plans regulating coolie importation, and the trading population of the colony is bitterly opposing the proposition. The former claim to be short 50,600 men to bring their properties to the point of working efficiency reached before the outbreak of the Boer war. They profess inability to obtain enough of either white or Kaffir labourers to meet their wants ut the rate of wages current prior to the beginning of hostilities. They are entirely indifferent to the welfare of any other interest in the colony excepting their | place between William II. and Leo XIII; but own, which is confined to the cheap and speedy in presence of the theory which it once more extraction of the gold contents of the Rand puts forward we repeat that the Holy See has roefs. When that is accomplished, they will have no more concern about South torate over Catholics of all nationalities, and FATHE PRINTING DEPARTMENT of African affairs. The interests of the business | especially over Catholic foundations. That is men of the colony lie, however, in another set forth especially in the letter of Leo XIII. possesses every facility for the prompt and direction. They want to see the colony to Cardinal Langénieux. The Holy See alone satisfactory execution of all descriptions of permanently occupied by a class of productive is entitled to speak in the name of Catholics. attention was thus engaged, one of the chair- nan "cheap skate." It is still more serious settlers who will help to develop its resources and Germany can only speak in the name of be a permanent benefit to trade. This cannot Germans. If a German who happens at the happen if Chinese coolies are to be imported same time to be a Catholic be sufficiently prointo the country to occupy its industries, for the effect of the encouragement of their immigration will be to discourage the coming of whites on whom all of the South African colonies must depend for their future settlement and development. And, inasmuch as the Chinese trade exclusively with themselves, and live chiefly on products imported from their own country, the business interests of South Africa and derive no benefit from any number of Chiseso immigrants which may be admitted. The Bouth African merchants, therefore, correctly foresee that the proposed introduction of Chinese coolies will positively retard the country's settlement by a population which

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during the days of unrestricted Chinese immigration the evils which they anticipate and fear. The immigration of white settlers was practically stopped. Both had to close their doors against the non-assimilable Chinese in self-defence. We are not yet free from the evils which this alien race brought here with it. A long train of them remain with us to mark the unwisdom of the old-time policy. We may never become wholly free from them. The Rand mine owners would display wisdom by endeavouring to solve the problem of labour supply in some unobjectionable way. The importation of Chinese coolies will be simply introducing trouble into the country more ment of a large body of Russian troops to the serious than those which the act proposes to remove. The South African merchants are right in their opposition, and, unless the British Government desires to sow the wind and reap later the harvest of the whirlwind in South

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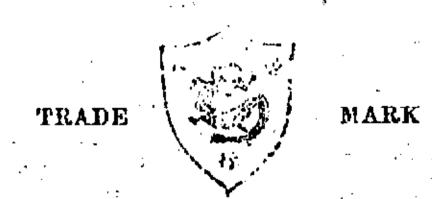
#### THE PROTECTORATE OF CHRISTIANS IN THE EAST.

An interesting polemic has begun between

Africa, it will take timely heed of their position.

the Paris Débats and the Cologne Gazette on the subject of the protectorate of Christians in the East. It appears that the Cologne Cazette feels hart at the comments of the French Press on the Emperor William's visit to the Vatican. The Prussian newspapers somehow always attribute malicious motives to those who are not in agreement with themselves. French journalists are, however, as a rule, equal to the occasion, and in this particular instance M. Alcide Ebray is to be congratulated on his reply to the Cologno contemin response to the reception given to Prince | porary of the Débats. M. Alcide Ebray says that the Cologne Gazette has been in a position to observe, as have people in France, that the immediate consequence of the Emperor William's visit to the Pope was to produce in The Japanese Minister at Seoul has informed Italy an unfavourable impression as to German effective steps to check the illegal agitation have no reason to grieve over it. He points take suitable action, and will also hold Corea be dissatisfied with the German Emperor's however, be entirely different if there were ground for the fear that the Vatican contemplated the transfer to Germany of portion of the privileges, hitherto recognised as belonging to France, concerning the protectorate of Romanists in the Near and Far East. A rumour has been circulated, says M. Ebray, which has particularly annoyed the Cologne Gazette. It has been announced that the Emperor William took advantage of his recent journey to Rome to try to obtain the right of protectorate for Germany. It has been reported that the Cardinals were favourable to this pretension, but that nevertheless, the German Emperor failed in the attempt. The Cologne Cazette declares all this to be a pure invention; for the simple reason that the question of the protectorate of Romanists does not exist for German policy. Germany would not admit that any other Pewer than herself should protect even her Romanist subjects in any country whatsoever. Asshe does not claim the protection of Romanists who are not German subjects, her Government is not called upon to make any application to Rome with a view to obtaining the recognition of a state of affairs

which is already in existence. To this M. Ebray replies:-"We will not discuss with the Cologne Gazette What took formally recognised our right to the protect tected by his own country to be able to dispense with the intervention of the Catholic protecting power there could be no question of imposing on him additional protection which he did not require. On the other hand, nobody can put forward a claim to prevent a Power which is the rightful and recogprotector of Catholics - in other words, France herself-from protecting a Catholic because he happens to be at the same people, Customs, &c., of the Far East. time a German. What applies to individuals applies more forcibly to Catholic foundations. Such is the exact situation as it logically results from our traditional privileges, from the constant attitude of the Holy See, and from the modifications which may have been produced in what concerns the capacity of the different-Powers to make themselves respected in the world: There is no reason to suppose that the Holy See wants to modify that situation in a sense unfavourable to ourselves. It has, no doubt, serious subjects of complaint against our Government 1 to known that Governments pass away and that principles re-



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tions which were passed at a meeting held on

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ratio and proportion of one new share

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By Command, F. H. MAY, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 1st July, 1903.

Estate of MIKHAIL FEDUROVICH PIATKOFF deceased (late of Moscow) Estate of JACOB MATVEEVICH MALCHANOFF deceased (late of

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J. W. R. TAYLOR, Administrator. Hongkong, 2nd July, 1903.

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Accounts to 30th April, 1903, and electing The Undersigned, having best appointed AGENTS for the above Compan are pre-pared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 27th instant to Current Rates. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

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as a fair and equitable settlement betweethe gofe. By the caddies and those who spoke two countries. As to the third of theseims | broad Scotch it was called gowl, as it is still b much depends on its interpretation. The them call d. The phrase "folk play golf" was Siamese have always expressed themse as pronounced by gentlemen "foke play gofe". willing to consider the claims of Frenchi to (golf rhyming with loaf); by the caddies appointments in the Administration, of to "fowk play gowf." There was a third commercial concessions, as part of a gral pronunciation used, but was an affectationsettlement which should put the relationsibe | goff. Those who so pronounced were suptwo countries on a more friendly footing To posed to speak high English. Avoiding the understand the British attitude towardhe broad pronunciation of the letter a prevalent claims which are being so strenuously urgen | among the Scotch, they substituted  $\epsilon$  and for M. Delcassé's attention, it is necessary tear | e used short i-thus, " heff-pest sivin " for halfclearly in mind what is the predominant Bish past even. This peculiar dislect was greatly interest in Siam. That may be stated a admired by my fellow-countrymen, especially by single sentence. It is the maintenance ofim | those who were incapable of acquiring it and was as an independent buffer State between Hish known to them as \* Edinburgh English." But India and French Indo-China. The quon even they people did not sound the t in golf. for us, therefore, to consider is whethelds Could the have foreseen what the actual future demands already enumerated are consint mispronuciation of the English on taking up with the maintenance of Siamese indepence. the game would have been, with what joy would M. Lorin declares that the occupation the they have called it "gawlf." If would have Per Procuration. Mekong is "indispensable to the securiof seemed to them "so English." But such Indo-China." The frontier between he pronunciaion is entirely opposed to a rule of valleys of the Mekong and Menam has fer | English thography, which rule is that been delimited; but the height of land is all' before f ork or m is silent if the vowel preceding and the chances of frontier incidents works it be a (a) or o (oh); but must be sounded if enormously increased if French troops to the precedig wowel be cor ior u. Examples.guarding one side, and Siamese troops the er. With a preeding-calf, half, balk, calk, chalk, of a cartographical frontier. Further, itnst stalk, talk, him, balm, palm, psalm; with o probe remembered that the Mekong valley prots | coding-foll golf, yolk, holm; with e preceding in itself little or no attraction to a coloring -self, shelf lift, elf, pelk, elk, with i preceding-Power. Its possession would add neither the bilk, milk, &, piller; with u preceding—bulk, strength nor to the wealth of French Ro- gulf, skulk, ak. Exception,-Welf, but its chas

fertile central valley of the Menam wouldfer in early Engsh welf. I do not count polks an almost irresistible attraction to Fach introduction. Surely it would be well if the ambitions. Many French Chauvinists ake educated at let would cease to do violence to no secret of their intention to inde English orthraphy by using the ugly prothe whole of Siam within the French sphi of influence, and nothing is more certainan that were France to occupy the Mekong liey Sarely he murecognise a difference between an agitation would at once spring up .o cend | that and golf. | FAIRALL & CO., Queen's Road. French influence over the Menum valley It is worth while considering for a moment hat the position would be. France would finher. self in possession of a large area of pracally valueless territory, the administration of hich

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"GOLF."

At the risk of provoking reminiscences of a recent controversy, we quote an interesting letter addressed by a Mr. T. E. Webster to the Times. He writes :--Being a Scotsman, the English mispronounc-

ing of the name of the national game of golf before the railway era and long before the English took up the game-was sent to my first school at S. Andrews. There I was amongst friends and relatives who played the game and talked much about it, as is still the demands they go much beyond the arrangent | been in England or India and were free from a which M. Delcasse was himself willing thept | pronounced Scottish accent the game was called China, while just over the frontier the right not the sourief (ch), and the word was written

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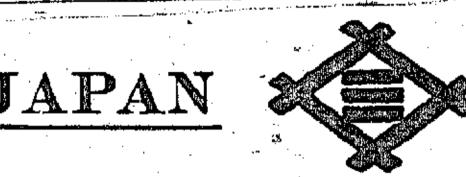
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F. KIENE, Manager, Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States. Hongkong, 26th June, 1903.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

MIDDLESBOROUGH, WERP, LONDON, PORT SAID, COLOMBO AND SINGAPORE. FITHE Company's Steamship

"HAKATA MARU" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of general Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkoug and Kowloon Wharf and Gedown Company's Godown at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as 9th prox. or they will not be recognised. the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be carried on unless in- to be left in the Godowns, where they will be structions are given to the contrary before examined on the 2nd prox., at 3 P.M. Noon, To DAY, 30th inst. Goods not cleared by the 6th prox. will be

subject to rent. All ship-damaged packages must be left in the Godowns and notice of same sent to this Office before the 9th prox., or claims in connection therewith will not be recognised.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Hongkong, 30th June, 1903. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED,

CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY, LIMITED.

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"TYDEUS" are heroby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or lauded at the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowlcon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld., where in both on and after the 30th instant.

cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown Optional Cargo will be landed, unless notice has been given prior to steamer's arrival. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods ar

to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M. on the 6th July. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 6th July will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be pre-

sented to the Undersigned on or before the 13th July, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkong, 29th June, 1903.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE

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OF THE HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE. having arrived. Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unlessnotice to the contrary be given before 3 P.M., honr. All Claims must be presented within To-DAY, the 25th inst. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 2nd July will be subject

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are will be despatched for the above portEVERY to be left in the Godowns, where they will be DAY, at 7 A.M. Ample accommodition for oxamined on Thursday, the 2nd July, at All Claims must reach us before the 7th

July, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

MELCHERS & CO., Agents. Hongkong, 25th June, 1903.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP 'TACOMA," FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKO-HAMA, KOBE, MOJI AND

SHANGHA), TITHE above Steamer having arrived, Con-A signess of Cargo are hereby requested to [1751 send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in

any case whatever. DODWELL & CO., LIMITED, Agents. Hongkong, 25th Jane, 1903.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. THIHE Company's Steamship

"LAISANG" having arrived from the above Ports, Coneignees of Car. o by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 P.M., the 1st July, will be landed at Consignee's risk and expense into

Godowns at East Point. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. General Managers.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.

Hongkong, 29th June, 1903.

S.S. "ARABIA," FROM NEW YORK. THE cargo ex above steamer having arrived here to-day by the O. S. S. Co's Steamship "TYDEUS,"

from Singapore, Consignees are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned. The cargo will be lauded into the Godown of the O. S. S. Co., at Wandhai, and stored Consignees' risk and expense. No claims will be admitted after the Goo have left the Godowns, and all Goods remainif

will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. HAMBURG-AVERIKA LINIE H ngkong Office. Hongkong, 29th June, 1903.

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MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby inform-

ed that all Goods are being landed at their

risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and

Kowleon Wharf and Godown Company, whence

and/or from the wharves, delivery may be

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods

All Claims against the Steamer must be pre-

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,

Agents.

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sented to the Undersigned on or before the

have left the Godowns, and all Goods undeliver-

ed after the 2nd prox, will be subject to rout.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Hongkong, 25th June, 1903.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

STEAMSHIP "POLYNESIEN."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE,

★ ONSIGNEES of Cargo from London exss.

Goods, with the exception of Opium,

Freasure and Valuables, are being landed and

stored at their risks into the Godowns of the

Hongkong and Kowleen Wharf and Godown

obtained immediately after lauding.

subject to rent and landing charges,

Monday, the 6th July, at 3 P.M.

Hongkong, 29th June, 1903.

it to be landed here.

Co., Ld., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless

intimation is received from the Consignees

before NOON, To-DAY, the 29th inst., requesting

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the

Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after

Monday, the 6th July, at Noon, will be

All claims must be sent in to me on or before

All damaged puckages will be examined on

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES!

"MAZAGON,"

FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS.

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named

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Company's Godowns, at Kowloon, where each

consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark,

and delivery can be obtained as soon as the

Goods are landed. Goods not cleared by the 5th prox., at 4 P.M.

No Fire Insurance will be offected by me in

Damaged packages must be left in the Go-

downs for examination by the Consignor's and

the Company's representative at an appointed

ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after

which date they cannot be recognised. No

Claims will be admitted after the Goods have

Hongkong 25th Jone, 1989

E. A. HEWETT,

Superintendent.

will be subject to rent.

any case whatever.

left the Godovus.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

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THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer

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Hongkong, 1st July, 1903.

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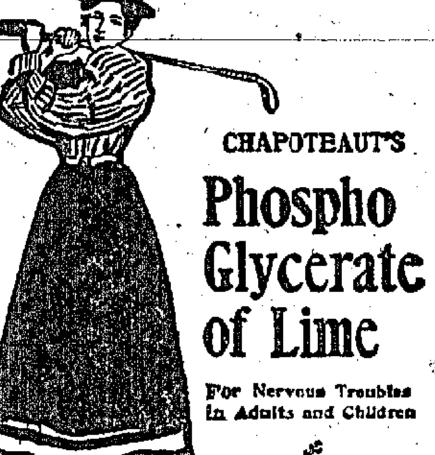


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The C.P.R. steamer Empress of Japan arrived

at Kobo at 4 p.m. on the 30th ult., and left again |

at 1.30 a.m. on the 1st inst., via Nagasaki, for

Shanghai, where she is due to arrive at 7 a.m.

MERCHANT STEAMERS.

The T.K.K. steamer Robilla Maru left Manila

to 30th ult., p.m., and is expected here to-

Ischia left Singapore for

and may be expected

r arrived at Naga-

of left again

and is due here to-day, at about noon.

The P. A O. steamer Coromandel left Singa-

H. R SHAER, per ox. .....241

Malwa New .....\$1020 to -

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> HONGKONG TIDE TABLE. From 2nd to the Sth July.

on the 4th mst.  THE AMERICAN MAIL.	HIGH WATER.	LOW WATE		
The T.K.K. steamer America Mara left Tokohama for this port, via Inland Sea, &c., on the 1st inst., a.m.	Mongkong Height.	Holigkong Heat Mean Times.		
The steamer Lightning, from Calcutta, loft Singapore for this port on the 30th ult., p.m. The Indo-China steamer Kumsang left Calcutta for this port, via the Straits, on the 28th ult., and may be expected here on the 14th inst.  The Imperial German mail steamer Print Heinrich left Colombo on the 27th ult., and may be expected here on the 8th inst.  The Imperial German mail steamer Preussen left Kobe via Nagasaki, Shanghai and Foochow left Kobe via Nagasaki, Shanghai and Foochow	17 (21)	h m ft.  m 8 27 3  m 8 27 3  m 10 17 3  p 57 2 2  m 11 18 2  m 0 51 2  h 32 n 2  f 60 n 1  m 0 19 2 0  2 16 a 1 2  m 1 2 2 0  2 53 a 0 9		
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The P. & O. steamer Banca left Singapore | WI DENTAL SURGEON,

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